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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. Three

Part B for March 1927.

SUBJECT

Instructions regarding the appointment of associates to Polling Officers, ~~and the marking of votes by illiterate voters.~~

Sl 4) To the D.C. Dumka Letter no. 928 & 9.3.27
Forwarding copy of letter from mr. D-S., Pallappa Dist. and requesting that Associate belonging to different Communities may be selected to assist Polling officers.

Sl. 5) To Dy. Commrs of Dists except Dumka.
Letter nos. 929-35 & 10.3.27.
Forwarding copy of ——do——

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8/7/27.

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ROUTINE NOTES.

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From Mr. D. S. MacGlashan
Member, Legislative
Council, D/3. 3. 27

Requests that necessary
instructions may be issued
to the Dy Comrs of Ds
with regard to
(1) the marking of ballot
papers of illiterate voters by
polling officers in the pre-
sence of the candidates
or their agents
(2) selection of members
of different communities
as associates.

I Secy to see Mr. Ross
& ask DC to select
such of the associates
as belong to different
Communities as far as
possible. (Intld) Ross
7/3.

3 Draft submitted.

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4 Mr. Mills

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Mr SNA Iyer
Please take orders as to
whether the instructions should not
go to all the Dy. Comrs
I do not think it [illegible] the
Tinnevelly DC is meant

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Secretary's orders
May issue to all
Dy Commissioners

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SR
9.3.27

N. B.—Should routine notes be written on small slips the notes must be copied, or slips pasted on this form.

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Tel. Address: "DESAMUDRE"

D. S. MALLAPPA
MERCHANT AND MEMBER OF THE
MYSORE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

TIPTUR

No. _____

Dated 3rd. March. 27.

To

The Dewan of Mysore

Bangalore.

Sir,

To safeguard the purity of the ensuing elections to the Assembly and Council I request you to be good enough to issue necessary instructions to Deputy Commissioners of Districts with regard to the following matters. Since many of our voters are illiterate people they need the help of the polling officers to record their votes. It must be so instructed that if the polling officer is required to mark the vote of an illiterate voter he must only do it in the presence of the associates and the associates must be able to observe that the polling officer recorded the vote to the very candidate named by the voter. Since there were not proper instructions regarding this matter during the last District Board elections there is lot of complaint with regard to this matter. In additions to this the Deputy Commissioners must be asked to select members of different communities as associates. Only literate persons who are able to understand their duties and responsibilities must be selected. I request you to kindly issue instructions with regard to these two matters and thereby avoid all possible corruption and earn the gratitude of the country and police.

Yours sincerely,

DSMallappa

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Section R.A

File No. 194-26

Serial No. 4

No. 978/Gns.

To The Deputy Commissioner

Trincomalee

D.C.s of all districts

Sir,

I am directed to forward herewith a copy of letter dated 3.3.27 from Mr. D. S. Senanayake Member Rep: Assembly, Lipton requesting that instructions may be issued regarding the selection of associations and to request that in such of the associations as belong to different Communities may be elected

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General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 9.3.27

Signed by Mr 2S.

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as far as possible
to help the Prohibition
officers.

Sincerely

[illegible]
For Secretary of State
Law Department

9-3-27

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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.
General & Revenue Secretariat.
Dated Bangalore, 10th March'2.

No. 929-35/Leg.

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From

B HAYAPPA, Esq., Bar-at-Law,

Secretary to Government,

Law Department.

To

The Deputy Commissioners of

Districts except Tumkur

Sir,

I am directed to forward herewith a copy of letter dated 3-3-1927 from Mr. D. S. Hallappa, Member, Representative Assembly, Tiptur, requesting that - Instructions may be issued regarding the selection of Associates, etc., and to request that such of the - associates as belong to different communities may be selected as far as possible to help the polling officers.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

For Secretary to Government,
Law Department.

DKR.